

No. 3406

MONDAY, MARCH 27, 1893.

Banks,

THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

CAPITAL CALLED-UP...... 251,093.15.0

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: Wm. Keswick, Erq.-Chairman. Adolf von André, Esq. | F. D. Sassoon, Esq. Egbert Iveson, Esq. H. D. Stewart, Esq. David McLean, Esq.

HONGKONG COMMITTEE The Hon, C. P. Chater. | The Hon. J. J. Bell-Irving. H. Hoppius, Esq.

Head Office-3, Princes Street, London, Branches-Bombay, Calcutte, Hongkong, and Shanghai. Agencies-Penang, Singapore, and Yokohama.

RATES OF INTEREST, LLOWED on CURRENT ACCOUNTS A L and Pixed Deposits, can be ascertained on application.

CHANTREY INCHBALD, Manager, Hongkong, 6th February, 1803.

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF

INDIA, LIMITED, THE CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON

AND CHINA.

BANKERS: LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.

NTEREST ALLOWED on CURRENT ACCOUNTS at the Rate of a per cent. per annum on the Daily Balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS :-For 12 Months..... per cent. -----4

JOHN THURBURN, Manager, Hongkong. Hongkong, 4th February, 1893.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA LIMITED.

Authorised Capital£1,000,000

HEAD OFFICE:-HONGKONG.

Court of Directors:---

ChowTung Shang, Esq. D. Gillies, Esq. W. Wotton, Esq. Chan Kit Shitu, Esq. C. J. Hirst, Esq. Kwan Hol Chuen, Esq. Chici Manager, GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

Branches.-London, Yokohama, Shanghal, Amoy and Foochow

BANKERS:-The Commercial Bank of Scotland. Parts Banking Co., and The Alliance Bank (Ld.)

Interest for 12 months Fixed, 5 per Cent.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS Hongkong, 12th December, 1892.

Insurances.

HE STANDARD SCOTTISH LIVE OFFICE OF 64 YEARS STANDING, AND ONE OF THE WEALTHIEST AND MOST PROGRESSIVE OF THE PROVI-DENT INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM.

THE Standard has a long record of good services to refer to; its Funds, annually increasing, amount to £7,000,000 Stg.; the Premiums are moderate; and all modern features consistent with safety have been adopted. DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

679--6] Agents, Hongkong NOTICE.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED \$1,000,000 The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES On GOODS. &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies.

WOO LIN YUEN, Secretary. HEAD OFFICE, No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST. Hongkong, 21st February, 1893.

GENERAL NOTICE. THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED.)

RESERVE FUND \$518,000,00.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS, LEE SING, Esq. Lo Yeve Moon, Esq. LOU TEO SHUM, Esq.

MANAGER.--HO AMEI. MARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken

IVI at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the world.

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST, Hongkong, 17th December, 1885.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. THE RANGE will be CLOSED owing to Military Manceuvices on the 23rd, 24th and 25th instant. On MONDAY, 27th, it is reserved for the Navy. On TUESDAY, 28th there will be Practice at 600 yards; and on WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY and on the close of the contract of WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, soth and For full particulars as to prior, &c., 30th, at Boo and goo yards.

ED. ROBINSON. Hon, Secretary, Bloogkong, sard March, 1894

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VICTORIA PRIORY.

REGULAR MEETING of the Victoria Priory, will be held on WEDNESDAY, the 20th inst., at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. .Visiting Brethren are cordially invited to attend. Hongkong, 23rd March, 1893.

EOTHEN MARK LODGE, No. 244 E.C.

REGULAR MEETING of the EOTHEN MARK LODGE of MARK MASTER MASONS will be held at the FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on THURSDAY, the 30th inst., at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethten are cordially invited,

Hongkong, 24th March, 1893.

ZETLAND

REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on SATURDAY, the 1st April, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited. Hongkong, 25th March, 1893. [375

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HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

TOTICE is hereby given that a PRIVATE MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the COMPANY'S HOTEL, on SATUR. DAY, 8th April, at 11 A.M. By Order.

> R. LYALL, Secretary.

Hongkong, 16th March, 1893. AN APPEAL.

THE SUPERIORESS of the ITALIAN CONVENT, CAINE ROAD, begs most respectfully to APPEAL to the Residents of Hongkong and the Coast Ports, for their kind patronage and support, and desires to state that she will be pleased to receive orders for all kinds of NEEDLE WORK.

Gentlemen's Shirts made to order, and Cuffs and Collars renewed on old ones. Ladies and Children's Under-clothing. Children's Dresses, and all kinds of Embroldery.

Materials can be supplied, if required. The Superioress will also be most grateful for any PAPER, or old ENVELOPES to be made into Books for the Children of the Poor Schools, who are taught by the Sisters. Hongkong, 6th March, 1893.

CAPTAIN CH. ROBINSON. COAL CONTRACTOR,

COMPRADORE AND STEVEDORE.

CHIPS VISITING MANILA SUPPLIED WIT | PROVISIONS, DUNNAGE, &c. WATER and BALLAST BOATS. Manila, 13th March, 1893.

J. D. KILEY, MANUFACTURER OF BALLOONS, PARACHUTES, TENTS, &c. No. 3, JUBILEE STREET,

Hongkong. Hongkong, 3rd January, 1893. KOCH'S PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE, No. 30, STANLEY STREET.

*DOARD and LODGING, Per Day ...\$ 1.50

BOARD (TIFFIN and DINNER) Per } \$15.00 Hongkong, 24th March, 1893. PRIVATE BOARD AND RESIDENCE,

STAINFIELD'S-I, QUIEN'S ROAD EAST, [JACANCIES for GENTLEMEN or MAR-RIED COUPLES at Moderate Tems, MRS. STAINFIELD,

Proprietress. Hongkong, 31st December, 1892. BOARD AND RESIDENCE.

COMFORTABLY FURNISHED of UN-

FURNISHED ROOMS, with Board and Table Accommodation. Apply to Mrs. MATHER.

2, Pedder's Hill Hongkong, 28th February, 1893.

THE MIKE COAL MINING COMPANY. THE MIIKE COAL IS a

BITUMINOUS COAL of dark reddish colour. For steam purposes it has been prenounced to be the best and the most economical of all the Japanese Coals. Its export is increasing yearly, and the opinions expressed by several of the largest regular

consumers are in testimony of the excellent qualities of this coal. Attention is called to the following advantages to Ships' Owners and Captains, who coal their bunkers direct from the Undersigned :-

FRESHNESS of the coal. UNIFORMITY of quality. FREEDOM from impurities. Supply in any quantity on shortest notice.

Quick despatch, BEST of weight, etc., etc. MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHIA,

Sole Agents. Hongkong, 5th September, 1892.

KING WO CHEONG. COAL MERCHANTS, SHIP'S COMPRA-

DORES, STEVEDORES, &c. Have for Sale a cargo of pure AKAIKI COAL, ex GODOWN and ex SHIP.

KING WO CHEONG, No. 32, Praya Central Lit. Hongroup, 2rd Pebruary, 1893.

Intingations.

SHANGHAI.

THIS long established SELECT. Family Hotel, situated on the Bund, facing the river, in the centre of the Settlements, has lately undergone extensive alterations, and is now fitted wit the latest modern improvements, including Bath and Dressing Rooms ATTACHED to Suites and Single Rooms, with hot and cold water laid on, DOUCHE, SHOWER SPRAYS, etc., and heated

to a comfortable temperature during winter. SEPARATE ROOMS FOR PRIVATE DINNER PARTIES, &.c.

The Electric Lighting now partly laid on will be completed during this year, 1892, An Assistant will attend an Passengers by Mail Steamers.

N'B.—TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS :- "CENTRAL, SHANGHAL"

F. E. REILLY, PROPRIETOR.

W. POWELL & CO.

EX S. S. "MIRZAPORE" AND "CANTON." LARGE SHIPMENTS OF

EW GOODS."

NEW SUMMER SILKS,

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CREPE DE CHINES,

FRENCH TEA GOWN SILK,

W. POWELL & CO. Hongkong, 27th March 1803

W. ROBINSON & Co. (UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL) HONGKONG,

SATISFACTORY WORK GUARANTEED.

SINGLE TUNING 6 TUNINGS A YEAR.....\$25.00 PER ANNUM. INCLUDING MINOR REPAIRS AND THE REEPING OF THE PIANO IN GOOD ORDER AND CONDITION,

DIANOS BOUGHT, SOLD OR TAKEN IN EXCHANGE, PACKED, REMOVED AND STORED. Hongkong, 14th February, 1893.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS, "Kremlin "-A. B. C. Code, TELEPHONE, No. 32.

PROPRIETORSTHE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL—the most commodious and best appointed Hotel in the Far East affords unequalled accommodation to travellers and others. It is situated in the centre of

the town, opposite the General Post Office and the Hongkong Club, adjacent to Pedder's Wharf (the principal landing stage of the Colony) and in close proximity to the Banks and Shipping The HOTEL STEAM LAUNCH conveys passengers and baggage to and from all Mail Steamers.

THE TABLE D'HOTE, at separate tables, is supplied with every delicacy, the cutsion being under experienced supervision.

THE BED-ROOMS, with adjoining Bath-rooms, are lofty and well ventilated, open on to spacious Verandaha, are lighted by gas and fitted throughout with electric communicators. The Reading, Writing and Smoking Rooms, Ladies' Drawing Rooms, the new, Bar and public BILLIARD ROOMS (Six English and American Tables) are fitted with every convenience,

A handsomely appointed GRILL ROOM, where chops, steaks, &c., are served at any hour adjoins the HOTEL, and is under the same Management.

The WINES & SPIRITS are selected by an Expert and the BEST BRANDS only are supplied. HYDRAULIC ASCENDING-ROOMS of the latest and most approved type convey passengers and baggage from the Entrance Hall to each of the five floors above, NIGHT PORTERS and WATCHMEN are continually on duty.

Hongkong, 12th February, 1892.....

R. TUCKER Manager,

KELLY & WALSH, LD.

JUST LANDED, FRESH STOCK OF THE FOLLOWING BRANDS

TOBACCOS. CAPSTAN NAVY CUT. WILLS' TRAVELLER BRAND. OGDEN'S FRUIT AND HONEY.

WILLS' BRISTOL BIRD'S EYE. THREE CASTLES. WILLS' GOLDEN FLAKE HONEY DEW. OGDEN'S NAVY CUT. OGDEN'S SILVER VEIL, OGDEN'S BEST BIRD'S EYE.

HAPPY THOUGHT, DOLLAR BRAND. STAR MIXTURE GOLDEN RAGLE

RELLY & WALSH, LIMITED QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG. Hongkong, 22nd March, 1803.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

BLACK GUT TENNIS BATS, Ivorid handles, SLAZENGER'S "DEMON" TENNIS BATS.

AYRES'S "CHAMPION" TENNIS BALLS. AYRES'S "WIMBLEDON" TENNIS BALLS. L., C. & Co. OLYMPIAN TENNIS BALLS, & per dosen. "CAVENDISH" SETS POLES and NETS,

"EUREKA" POLES. CHEAP ASH POLES. STEAM-TARRED NETS. COPPER ROPE for tops of hets. DAT PRESSES, TENNIS BAGS, BAT OIL,

Hongicong/ sud March 1801.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY

of the late Mr. THOMAS EDMUND DAVIES in our Firm CEASED on the 311 December last.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, 6th March, 1893.

Telegraphic Address "Sobrinos," Hongkong.

(A.B.C. Code 4th Edition.) AUCTIONEERS, VALUERS & COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

No. 17, PRAYA CENTRAL, Under-Messra. Douglas Lapraik & Co.'s Offices. Hongkong, 31st January, 1893.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), the 28th day of March, 1893.

AT 2.30 P.M., at his SALE ROOMS, Queen's Road. SUNDRY HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &C., Comprising :-

VFLVET COVERED DRAWING-ROOM MARBLE-TOP TABLES, BEVELLED GLASS OVERMANTELS, CHEFFONIER, PICTURES, CURIOS and ORNAMENTS. CARPETS and HEARTH RUGS. DINING TABLE, SIDEBOARD, DINNER-

WAGGONS, VIENNA CHAIRS; CRO-CKERY, GLASS and PLATED WARE. WRITING TABLE, DESK, BOOK-CASE DOUBLE and SINGLE IRON BED-STEADS. WARDROBES with BFVELLED GLASS DOORS, MARBLE-TOP BUREAU with BE-

VELLED GLASS, DRESSING TABLE and MARBLE-TOP WASHSTAND. 21-Size CAMERA and STANDS. SUNDRY LAW BOOKS, TERMS OF SALE:-As customary.

Auctioneer. Hongkorg, 27th March, 1893. PUBLIC AUCTION.

J. M. ARMSTRONG.

MESSRS. A. E. SKEELS & Co. have been favoured with instructions to Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION. without reserve, A LARGE QUANTITY OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

VALUABLE BOOKS, PIANO, &c., &c., the Property of a Gentleman. leaving the Colony, at their

SALE ROOMS, 17, PRAYA CENTRAL, (removed for convenience of Sale), WEDNESDAY next, March 20th, AT 2.30 P.M. SHARP.

Comprising :-DRAWING, DINING, BED-ROOM and OFFICE FURNITURE, SIDEBOARDS, OVERMANTELS, EXCELLENT DINING TABLE with Extra Leaves, FANCY TABLES, DRESSING TABLES, Handsome CABINETS, EASY CHAIRS, RATTAN CHAIRS, MUSIC CABINETS, BRASS & IRON BEDSTEADS, MATTRESSES, BED and TABLE LINEN, LIACE CURTAINS, ELECTRO-PLATED' WARE, GLASS and CROCKERY WARE, CUTLERY, COOKING STOVE and UTEN. SILS, PICTURES, ORNAMENTS, PIANO,

MARBLE CLOCK, The above will be on view on Tuesday and Wednesday, A.M., and Catalogues can be obtained from the Auctioneers. A. E. SKEELS & Co.

Sale Rooms, 17, Praya Central. TO MINERAL WATER MANUFAC-TURERS AND OTHERS. The Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION, THURSDAY next, AT 12.30 P.M., at their

SALE ROOMS, 17, PRAYA CENTRAL, a complete Plant of SODA AND MINERAL WATER MACHINERY, of a most improved type, by Hermann Lachapelle, Paris, To be Sold in One Lot.

A LARGE QUANTITY OF PATENT STOPPERED BOTTLES, SALE TERMS :- Cash before delivery, On view Monday and following days and full particulars obtained of the Auctioneers.

A. E. SKEELS & Co. 17, Praya Central. PUBLIC AUCTION

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANO, &c. Messis, A. E. SKEELS & Co. have been instructed by J. R. Mudie, Esquisit to Sell

at his Residence, 21, BRILLIOS TERRACE, THURSDAY next, March 30th, 1893. AT 2.30 P.M., THE WHOLE OF HIS

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c. i while the Comprising i-DRAWING ROOM SUITE, OVERMAN-TELS, CARPETS, PICTURES, ORNA-MENTS, GAS FITTINGS, BEDSTEADS and BEDDING, WARDROBES, GLASS WARE, KITCHEN STOVE and UTENSILS. PIANNETTE, by Chappell. PAROMETER.

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Thipping...

SIX DOLLARS PER QUARTER

STEAMERS.

FOR KOBE (DIRECT). HE Steamship

"KINGSLAND" will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 28th instant, at Noon. For Freight, apply to

JOHN ANDREW.

18,"Praya Central. Hongkong, 27th March, 1893.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. FOR KOBE AND YOROHAMA. HE Company's Steamship

"HIROSHIMA MARU," Captain H. Walter, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 30th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

GEO. R. STEVENS, Hongkong, 18th March, 1893.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA

THE Steamship "CARMARTHENSHIRE," Captain C'ark, will be despatched as above on or about the 30th instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, 24th March, 1891. FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Steamship "MACDUFF," Porter, Commander, will be despatched for the above Port on or about WEDNESDAY, the 5th For Freight or Passage, apply to

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co. Hongkong, 17th March, 1803. "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, LONDON, HAMBURG AND ANTWERP. THE Steamship "RADNORSHIRE! Captain F. Davies, R.N.R., will Be despatched

as above on or about SATURDAY, the 15th For Freight or Passage, spply to
DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, 24th March, 1893.

SAILING VESSELS. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. HE 100 A. I. British Ship

Owen, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, 20th February, 1893.

Consignees. NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP "VICTORIA," FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.

HE above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersigns. ture, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignoes risk and expense,

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DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, 24th March, 1893. OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM

SHIP COMPANY. NOTICE. ONSIGNEES of CARGO per Steamship

The above Steamer having arrived, Consignous of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from along Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel

will be landed and stored at Consignoes' sisk and a J. S. VAN BUREN, Hongkong, 22nd March, 1893.

> For Sale. THEY LEAD THEM ALL,

THE CELEBRATED CALIFORNIA WINES, from the well-known. Vineyards of Messrs. KOHLER AND VAN BERGEN, San Francisco, and JULIAN P. SHITH (Ollvina) Livermore,

California Guaranteed to be Pure and Unadulterated. Pure BLACKBERRY BRANDY and fresh Consignments of BARTLETT SPRING MINERAL WATER by each Steamer.

Prices forwarded on application to MACONDRAY BROTHERS & LOCKARD. Commission Merchants, No. 30, Water Street,

Yokohama, 12th August, 1893. FOR SALE

THE GOOD 8. S. "PERIN" and S. S. "KWONG-MO." For Particulary apply to Trace 53. Bonham Strand West

Honghoug, 14th November, 1893.

Intimations.

VICTORIA DISPENSARY

SELECTIONS FROM OUR LIST OF WINES AND SPIRITS.

WE beg to invite careful attention to the following List of WINES & SPIRITS. following List of WINES & SPIRITS. for we have succeeded in combining purity and excellence of quality with moderate prices.

BRANDY.

OLD PALE COGNAC, O.P	Per Case. Kur	Per Boule. \$1.00
SUPERIOR OLD COGNAC, V.O.P.		1.20
AN OLD LIQUEUR COGNAC, O.L. THE FINEST LIQUEUR COG-		1.50
NAC, 20 years old, V.O.L	20	1.75
SCOTCH:—	•	

Lochaber.—A mellow old whisky... F. O. S.—A blend of the finest whickles produced in Scotland, matured in Sherry wood 10 Liqueur.—A very rare old Scotch whisky. Square bottle II IRISH,—John Jamleson's 9 AMERICAN.—Genuine old Bourbon 10 GENEVA A.V.H .-- It large bottles

ID Case KEY BRAND GENEVA.—Finest procurable OLD TOM..... - DAKIN, CRUICKSHANK & Co., LD.,

Victoria Dispensary, Hongkong. Hongkong, 1st March, 1893.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LD.

CHEMISTS BY APPOINTMENT.

ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.

MANUFACTURERS OF AERATED WATERS.

OUR NEW FACTORY has been recently 'refitted with automatic Steam Machinery of the latest and most approved kind, and we are well able to compete in quality with the best English makers:

The purest ingredients only are used, and the utmost care and cleanliness are exercised in the manufacture throughout.

"BOMBAY SODAS."

We continue to supply large bottles as heretofore, Free of Extra Charge, to those of our Customers who prefer to have them to the ordinary size.

COAST PORT ORDERS, whenever practicable, are despatched by first

steamer leaving after receipt of order. ... For COAST PORTS, Waters are packed and placed on board ship at Hongkong prices, and the full amount allowed for Packages and Empties when received in good condition.

Counterfoil Order Books supplied free on application.

Our Registered Telegraphic Address is "DISPENSARY, HONGKONG." And all signed messages addressed thus will receive prompt attention.

The following is a List of Waters always kept ready in Stock :-

PURE AERATED WATER SODA WATER

LEMONADE POTASH WATER SELTZER WATER LITHIA WATER SARSAPARILLA WATER TONIC WATER LEMON SQUASH GINGER ALE

No Credit given for Bottles that look dirty or greasy, or that appear to have been used for any other purpose than that of containing Acrated Waters, as such Bottles are never used again by

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GINGERADE.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED, The Hongkong Dispensary, Hongkong.

TO SUBSCRIBERS.

CUBSURIBERS TO "THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH" ARE MOST RESPECTFULLY REMINDED THAT ALL SUBSCRIPTIONS MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE.

the Mongkong thelegraph.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, MARCH 27, 1893.

TELEGRAMS.

A VOTE OF CENSURE

LONDON, March 24th. Mr. A. J. Balfour gave notice of a motion that the action of the Government in condoning se ious offences, and failing to enforce the law

was calculated to revive terrorism in Ireland. and bringing the law into contempt. RUSSIA AND THE SILVER QUESTION

The Russian Government has suspended the coinage of allver roubles on private account.

PAYMENT OF MEMBERS.

LONDON, March 25th, The motion in favour of payment of members of the House of Commons was carried by majority of forty-seven. Sir Wen. Harcourt warmly concurred and promised that the Government would introduce the Bill at the carliest portible date.

THE COTTON STRIKE The cotton dispute in Lancashire has been THE SPANISH MINISTRY.

MADRID, March 21st. At the conclusion of to-day's sitting of the Cabinet, Sr. Cervers resigned his post of Minister of Marine. Sr. Sanchez will probably be appointed in his place.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE French gunboat Lutte arrived at Bangkok on the 14th inst.

DONALD DINNIE, the famous Scottish athlete, has won 8,862 prizes during his lengthy career.

H.M.S. Firebrand arrived at Manila on the 21st inst, and the U.S.S. Aurt was to leave there

MR. H. M. Bechet's visit to Upper Slam, the Bangkok, Times: says, is "on professional business."

on the 25th.

THE P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer City of Rio de Tanefro, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port, via Yokohama, on the 23rd Inst.

1.00 A MODERATE shock of earthquake, followed by another of longer duration, was experienced at Yokohama on the morning, of the 17th inst.

Young "Dickie" Feeley, of Harmston's Circus. 0.60 now playing to big houses in Iloilo, had a bad fall a fortnight ago and broke his left arm, but is recovering satisfactorily.

"Oh, dear me," laughed Chollie the other night when asked if he could dance, "I have all the accomplishments of my kind." "I'd like to see some of your knitting," said

"IMURIS MINES," "Sir William des Vœux," the report of the Tamchow mines, the critique of "My Sweetheart," full report of Foochow races, and other matters are unavoidably held over to-day.

SATURDAY'S Gazette notifies that the designation of the post hitherto known as that of first clerk and accountant in the police department, will in future be that of paymester. It is slient as regards the uniform.

Mr. SHORTSIGHT-Why are you'looking so very gloomy, Mrs. Shortsight? Mrs. Shortsight-1 was just reading here, "Dyeing at home made easy," and I was thinking how nice it would be if it were only living.

An Emergency Convocation of St. Andrew' Chapter, No. 218, S.C., will be held in Free masons' Hall, Zetland Street, on Friday, the 31st instant, at 8.30 for q p.m. precisely. Visiting companions are cordially invited.

THE steamship Arratoon Apear, which arrived here-yesterday, reports the death, at sea, of Mr. A. Findlay, late and engineer of the Catherine Abcar on the 15th inst., one day after leaving Hongkong. The body was taken on to Singapore

THE Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s Royal mail steamer Empress of China, from Vancouver, arrived at Shanghal at 6 p.m. on Saturday, and left again at 4.30 p.m. yesterday for this port and may be expected to arrive at 8 a.m. on Wednesday.

Editor of the Daily Pest.-What's new to-day, M 1. Unidos r

Chipps.—A murder, a divorce, an explosion and two accidents. Editor.-Dear, dear! So much? We'll wait until to-morrow and dish up what the Telegraph says.

ALL who have been annoyed by the rush of chair and ricksha coolies at the Theatre and the wharf. will feel some degree of unkind satisfaction at knowing that some two dozen of these nulsances were brought, before the Magistrate to-day by Sergeant Williamson and P. C. Christie and fined a dollar each.

A COOLIE employed as shoeblack in the barracks was caught pilfering stores last week, and was brought up to-may before Mr. Wodehouse, in the police court, charged with stealing a tin of milk, two pounds of laid, and three pounds of dripping, the property of "E." Company mess, Shropshire Fegiment, on the 20th inst. The Celestial said he had been given the goods by another servant, but as he could not prove this he was sent to gaol for fourteen days.

THE Daily Press has the Firebrand at Borneo. whereas she is at Manila; the Imperiouse which has been in Hongkong over a week, "Granny" locates at Manila; the Porpoise at Hankow instead of the Hongkong; the Redpole (now at Swatow) nowhere in particular; the Swift at Hongkong instead of Manila; the Dis at Macao Instead of Saigon or Bangkok; and MARCUS AURELIUS had a good deal of stay-atabout a dozen other men-of-war in the wrong

THE Newchwang correspondent of the N. C. Daily News writes under date March 8th :- gether a mark of the commonest of men : for No business yet to speak of, but produce keeps it is in thy power whenever thou shall high, and so does silver as compared to the star | choose to retire into thyself. For nowhere note, the currency of the port, which it must not be forgotten is copper cash, not sterling-still it shows that allver has as good a purchasing when he has within him such thoughts that by power as when three taels were calculated to be looki g into them he is immediately in perfect the value of a sovereign, and when the owner of Tis, 30,000 was a £10,000 man, whereas now he would require over .Tis. 50,000 for the same amount of sterling.

FROM the Shanghal Mescury:-"Talking of travellers' tales,' a Chinese Munchausen writing in the Sin Wan-pao, a newly published Shanghal Chinese daily, of his stay in Formosa and a description of the places he visited in the island, states that while travelling from Huwel to Applug, a journey of twelve hours, in the steamer Smith, recently, the vessel was stopped for half an hour in mid-passage by a huge fish that got entangled, it is presumed, with the propeller, and the writer solemnly avers that he saw the fine of the leviathan rise up to the height of thirty feet, the monster itself remaining invisible all the while!"

the phenomenon of red halr thus: It is caused risen over the "Land of the Morning Calm," tried to rush the Ly-ee-moon Pass, but were by a superabundance of from in the blood. This A steamship company has just been formed at beaten back with the sid of the electric lights. it is that impaits the vigor, the clasticity, the | Soul for the purpose of running is opposition to | They then tried to land as before, but with causal great vitality, the overflowing, thoroughly healthy | the Japan Mail Steamship Company which want of success. This, however, was only a animal life which runs riot through the veins of has hitherto enjoyed an almost complete light, and enabled two of the vessels to get life is what fenders them more intense in all; in the Japanese-Corean waters. The rew their emotions than their more languid fellows concern is to be known as the Rinnsha rest of the fleet then gave up the Eastern creatures. The excess of iron is also the cause, and is, it is reported, to receive a subsidy of freekles on the peculiarly clear, white skin of 160,000 yes per annum from the Corean a combined strack on the south shore spots in abundance, but also burn like a mustard wonders where the Government is going to find I If the skin was wrinking up.

of April next.

THE returns of the number of visitors to the City Hall Museum for the week ended March 26th. are :- Europeans, 143; Chinese, 1,617; total

A "THUNDERBOLT" fell at Sayo Gori, Japan, on the 15th inst, and set fire to the surrounding bushes. No other extraordinary features are recorded.

Old Soak - Was gibt ev. Dutchy? Berlin Biet .-- Ach mein Gott ! My club has made de beer-glasses schmaller und raised de \$60,000. price of viskey i

THE total customs revenue of Manils, for Tanuary, 1803, was \$313 232.69, being nearly

ARTIFICIAL teeth were made of lvory, placed on plates of the same material and held together and in place by gold wires and rivets, 1,000 vests B.C.

POOR old Granny! It takes an awful lot of heavy gun-firing to wake her. She believes (seconding to to-day's Daily Press)" that the Imperiouse is still at Manile.

Tink.-What do you want, old chapple? Winz -The death certificate of the fellow who told my wife I'd given a pair of bracelets to Guinevere Giddy of No. 300.

IT has been demonstrated by means of photography that certain well-defined types of facial expression are not only associated with but are dependent upon certain relative tensions of the oculomotor muscles.

THE Kobe Chronicle has a heavy responsibility on its shoulders. It killed Alves (vide a report of his death published in its issue of the 20th Inst.) and has "confiscate unto the State" the whole of his property and effects.

If you put a half-penny in your money-box, and | outside of a lunatic asylum. "Granny" was add thereto by doubling the amount every week after the first for fifty-two weeks, at the end of hopelessly paralytic with cold tea and milkthe year the money-box (if large enough) will contsin £9 382 499,223 688. 108. 71d.

Ar the Magistracy to-day, before Capt. Hastings. R.N., assistant magistrate, two Chinese were convicted of boiling oplum on a large scale without a license, on the 26th inst., and fined \$75 or three months each. Why not get some \$75 fines out of the unlicensed drink trade?

Guest-Now I'll take some ice cream to top off with, three fiavors. Walter-Your bill is 75 cents already, sir.

Guest-What of that? Walter-Why, you see, sir, mixed ice cream is 20 cents, and you'll probably give me a dollar to pay the bill and that'll leave only 5 cents for

A terribly destructive fire is reported have occurred in Kawagove-chu, Saltamaken, some 2,000 houses were burnt before the be readily abstracted from the pillars. A piece fismes were got under. The post and telegrap offices were among the buildings destroyed. No mention is made of the probable or actual loss of life.

THE OUTEN AND THE MISSIONARY. The cannibal Queens of the Sandwich Isle Received their visitors with a smile. Which disappeared only when the latter Disappeared also from the platter ! And this is probably what is meant By a "provisional" government !

-N. Y. Recorder.

OUR Japanese exchanges report the gallant rescue, from almost certain death, of a shipwrecked crew of native sailors, by Capt. Byers. That warmed ambition into life. of the schooner Carlotta G. Cen, while on the in from Victoria B. C. to Yokohama, on the 12th inst. When 500 miles off Mela Head a dismasted and water-logged junk was sighted, and despite the fact that a heavy gale was blowing three of the schooner's boats were lowered and the castaways, 12 in number, were rescued. On Saturday, March 25th, at a meeting of the

MESERS. WARNER BLODGETT & Co.'s bl-weekly circular, dated Manils, 22nd March, thus records the Penshaw casualty:--The British bark Penshaw, 729 tons register, while changing ports on 22nd ultimo, ran on an uncharted reef near Pill, on the East coast of Luzon, and will prove a total loss. The vessel was about three fifths loaded at the time of the casualty, and her cargo of timber was fully insured in the China offices, which companies are also interested to the extent of \$10,000 on the hull risk.

home philosophy. Vide: -- Men seek retreats for themselves—houses in the country, seashores and mountains; and thou, too, art wont to desire such things very much. But this is altoeither with more quiet or more freedom does man retire than into his own soul particularly tranquillity-which is nothing else than the good ordering of the mind.

A FIRE broke out last night, a few minutes after day, but nothing suspicious was revealed.

SCIENCE, says the American Analysi, explains THE sun of enterprise and progress has evidently the extent of the amount quoted.

THE summer race meeting of the Manila Jockey | THE Canadian Pacific Rallway Co.'s Royal mail | foe was qualifying for a first-class holocaust. Club will take place on the 21st, 22nd and 23td steamer Empress of Japan, from Hongkong, Troops were also sent on a most erjoyable picule asrived at Nagazaki at 7 a.m. to-day, and left up the Bowen Road and Wanchai Gap, with again at 4 p.m. for Vancouver, wie Kobe and Yokohama.

> Doctor C .-- Well ! What's the trouble now ! Editor of Fishwrapper.—I wrote an editorial for last night's paper and-Doctor-Great Crean Send for an ambulance

> THE township of Catuble, Samar, (Philippines) was visited by a fire on the 20th inst, which destroyed the court-house, gaol, convent, school and most of the business places and dwellings. The total loss, however, is only estimated at

A NAGASAKI contemporary reports that Go-gaku one of the most celebrated Buddhist priests in Tapan, died on the 3rd inst, in the Ganshol \$70,000 more than the corresponding period of temple at Bungo. The deceased was a poet and writer of the highest eminence, but since the Restoration has been living in retirement. A worthy successor is sought. This, " Brownie," should be your chance.

> AT the City Hall theetre on Saturday night there was an immense concourse attracted by the London Lyric Company's performance of "My parisons between these talented all-round artistes and others who have made this piece a specialty, it may be safely said that the performance was the most enjoyable we have seen for a long time. Full critique to-morrow.

WE have grown weary of reporting the wrecking and foundering of Japanese steamers o late years, but they still come along with their irritating regularity. The latest is that of the Koyel Maru, belonging to the Hokkai Steamship Company, which was lost on the island of Yakeiirl on the 16th inst. The wreck was attended with a terrible less of life for out of the Br souls on board only two were saved. Kovel Maru was a small steamer, schooner rigged, and was built in '87.

"Granny" has bad the jumps again. In this morning's Dreary Pest there is half a column of the most delirious ravings ever heard on the tiles on Saturday night, got and-water, was carried in a chair up the hill, and finally got lost on Bowen Road, even forgetting her own name and address. While llying among the trees, she heard the distant thunders of applause from the City Hall (Serpentine dance, probably) and began to hear and see tigers, snakes, thunder and lightning, stars, and all the horrors of a swelled head and a mouth like a municipal incinerator. Poor Grannyi

IF necessity be the mother of invention then posterity has often good cause to dama necessity. No benefit-endowly g invention or institution has ever been vouchsafed to honest humanity without being made the medium of corresponding chances for the dishonest portion thereof People have hitherto deemed it safe to deposit correspondence in the street letter-boxes. Light will stream in on them when they learn that the thleving fraternity of Yokohama has lit upon an ingenious method, sublimely Asiatic in its on the morning of the 18th inst., in which simplicity, by means of which letters etc. can of cord saturated with a glutinous matter is inserted and this quickly adhering, the contents of the box can be quickly and quietly annexed.

ONLY A WORD.

Only a word That drove the rose-bloom from a face, That robbed a soul of trusting grace: That raised a doubt, that bred a wrong, That scorched a name, that stilled a song; That filled a day with broading fears, Till skies of night rained bitter tears. Only a word.

Only a word That sent a love flame to a heart. That won a smile, that cased a smart: That hushed a sob, that calmed a strife, That lit a torch of hope, whose ray Led one dark soul to turn and pray. Only a word.

-Ida Worden Wheeler, in The Review, United Mark Lodge, No. 419, Bro. W. C. H. Hastings was installed W. Master by W. Bro. L Mallorle, and afterwards appointed his officers as follows :--

S. W.Bro. W. M. B. Arthur. J. W. W. L. Ford. Chaplain T. Spafford. Treasurer I. Grimble. Secretary G. J. W. King. Registrar of Marks ... I. Collett. F. Howell. S. O. T. Moffatt. J. O..... I. Lowrie. S. D. L. K. Driffield. H. I. Watson. Director of Cer...... S. W. Edmunds. Tyler J. Maxwell.

After the ceremony, a P.M. jewel was presented to Wor, Bro. W. Baker, one of the founders of the Lodge, by Wor. Master W. C. H. Hastings.

HONGKONG SAVED.

On Thursday moreing last (according to the

General commanding Her Majesty's forces) bostile cruisers were reported coming to bombard Hongkong from both East and West eight o'clock, at 301 Queen's Road West, near approaches. The Ly-ee-moon batteries at once | them. In contequence of this instance of the Sailor's Home, in a house newly occupied opened fire with 6 inch breech-loading guns, generosity and magnatimity, some of the within the last day or two, and not insured. A | and scared the fee a little. The ships, howkerosene lamp fell, causing an instantaneous lever, were in full fighting order by afternoon, flare-upr and through the ingenuity of the Water returned the fire of the batteries, and attacked the Authority there was no water handy to put it submarine mine works, attempting meanwhile out, although for a week or two there has been to land troops in Ly-ce-moon and Sai-wan rain enough to fill two Taltams. The fire Bays. The Shropshires (H. Company) marched bilgate turned out promptly under Mr. Wode. off to repel the invade s, while a strong force house and Mr. Matheson, assisted by the was posted in Deep Water Bay to anticipate a detachment from West Point under Inspector | movement in that direction, Triops were also Mann, first on the spot. By the time the fire | concentrated along the south shore, from Aberwas subdued, both No. 302 and No. 303 were deen to Waterfall Bay, and the western forts practically demolished. An enquiry was held to- were fully manned ready for attack. The Kowfoon defences were also reinforced, and a company of infantry sent round to Pokiniam by sea. At night the swi test of the enemy's ships the suddy balted, and this strong sentlent animal monopoly of the coast carrying trade through the pass, only to sink under the concentrated fire of the harbour forts. The entrance, and on Thursday morning made which always accompanies red hair. This skin Government. The Mall says that the line will and West channel. This move partly succeeded. is abnormally sensitive to the action of the sun's have the support of Mr. Yuan, the Chinese a strong body landing near Tytam, to rays, which not only bring out the little brown | Representative in Boul, but at the same time | threaten the falling water-supply of the Colony. | Instructed the officials along the Yangtee to be | munity from this sort of thing. The Hongkong Ro, iment, sided by the famous plaster, producing a queer, creepy sensation, as the wherewithal to subsidise any enterprise to Tigor, made things lively for the visitors, and by as to his whereabouts although a year had the siege of Mets, is now used as a portal wagon the time extra masers of defenders arrived, the lalupsed since the order was circulated. One between two villages in Lorraine.

strict orders not to anathematise the gra lents. At West Point things were becoming rather warm by this time, and all available troops had to do some fine pedestrian exercise from the other end of the Island, ready for the great reception, with dance to follow, by electric light. Of course, it was thining most of the time, but that was nothing the British soldler is fond of water. That is why the Chinese call white men swey-kwal. So the fun went on all night, without getting much shead, and on Saturday the enemy mede preparations to land troops all along the western shores under cover of their guns. A small hostile force was also reported as having landed in China, near Mirs Bay, bound for the Kowloon forts. The situation was becoming desperate; the Volunteers were called out, and sent over the hills towards Aberdeen, taking with them a copy of the new Volunteer Ordinance and photographs of the 200 new recruits. That settled the enemy, and away they went. Victory was ours, and the number of "drunks" in the Police Court this morning broke the record.

NOTES FROM CHINESE PAPERS.

Two large banks failed towards the close of last year at Wenchow and one at the commencement of the New Year. Liabilities something like Tis. 120,000.

Two important criminals, both incarcerated on grave charges, succeeded in escaping from the Huakuan Halen prison in Foothow not long ago. The magistrate offered a reward of \$800 for their arrest, while \$200 is promised to those who wil give information leading to their capture.

Those who were privileged to see the Hange chow bore on the night of the 25th of February, witnessed a magnificent sight. The tidal flood attained an unusual height. Unfortunately the notices posted all over the country by him. several boats were capsized through the force of the tide and over a dozen persons lost their lives.

The stronghold on the opposite bank of the Hukow fortifications has for a long time been falling into ruln, and at present the fortress is in a deplorable condition. This fact having been brought to the notice of the high previncial authorities, officers have been sent to supervise the repairs.

Rumour has it that on the 15th instant the military governor of Ili sent a most urgent secret memorial to Peking. It is said that it was on account of some outbreak, but the exact import is not known. Whether it relates to China's relations with Russia, or a disturbance of local origin, is not known.

The work of connecting Nganking by telegraph with Lu-chow-fu and Hô-fel-the native district of the Li family-which was stopped last winter owing to the severe cold, has been resumed with the new year and it is expected will be finished in about three weeks from hence. A nenhew of Li Hung-:hang will be the Telegraph Manager at Lü-chow-fu.

A wealthy merchant in Canton has by the aid of an influential member of the gentry obtained permission from the Pormosa Governor to conduct the gold washing business in Kelung, which has till now been carried on under the auspices of the Government. The Governor has given sanction to the merchant to try for some months to see what result may be obtained.

On the 27th ultimo his Majesty, the Emperor entertained at the Tre Kunng Ko, a company of tributary Princes and nobles. chief feature of the entertainment was a banquet, little wind, less snow and no rain. Hardly a while some theatrical performances were also included in the programme. Among those present were the two Legates from Cores. On the 5th of this month another banquet was given, to which the members of the Grand Council and the Presidents of the various Boards were invited.

ast winter and the quantity of snow that fell in forced-open before its time by order of the the country bordering the Great River, the news. Paoting Nicht'ai. He had occasion to go down comes from both Chinking and Yangchow that to Tientsin on important business, and finding contrary to the expectation that the severe winter would be the death of the locust spawn in the | shead to have gangs of men sent out from the ground, it appears from reports coming from the neighbouring cities to cut a passage. This was country villages of the above-named prefectures promptly done, and we had the pleasure of that the locust spawn have been dug up with following modestly in his wake through the considerable life in them and it is feared that more than two-thirds of the pest have managed to cutlive the scow and the cold.

In a memorial to the Throne some time ago the Governor of the New Dominion asked the Government to supply him with a number of trained officers from the Shingkee-ying and the Viceroy's troops, to teach the force there the use of modern weapons and drilling. These officers are now selected, and the lot from the Shingkee-ying are soon to start for the frontier province. Fifty men have also been selected from the vice-regal treops to so there who are to take with them 40 field guns and 2,000 rifles. As soon as the supply of arms is ready, the expedition will start.

The people of Wenchow were jubilant when upon the arrival of the steamer Hackberg in that port from Shanghal it was found that she had brought so little cargo that the Commissioner of the LM, Customs magnanimously allowed the whole lot to be landed without paying any duty; this also included the stuff carried in the mai bags of the postal agencies, who are compelled to carry their bags on arrival to the Custom house to be examined so as to enable duty to be. Council not one is a saloon-keeper. levied whenever dutiable stuff was carried in merchants of Wenchow it is expected will present their Commissioner of Customs with an address and adulatory scrolls.

Outside the west gate of Peking is the Wanshou Sall, or "Temple of Ten thousand Ages" -the usual appellation given to an Imperial birthday. It is the temple where the Emperors and Empresses of the Manchu dynasty were wont to sacrifice on the anniversaries of their birthdays when they had passed the age of sixty. About ten years or so ago a great part of the building was destroyed by fire and his since been restored a but with the approaching sixtleth anniversary of the Dowager Empress next year, the temple must according to precedent be made ready for the usual caremoni. s, hence the Board: of Revenue in obedience to a decree of the Dowager Empress have laid aside the sum of \$420,000 to be used in rebuilding, and re embellishing the tumble-down premises.

For a long time the various high authorities have been very auxious to arrest a Kolao Huf letters of protest to the Times. leader named Li Lao-yao, His capture was An atmosphere of scandal hangs over the first ordered by the Hekusng Viceroy, who court at Vienne, which does not long have image

day in the middle of the Chinese January the individual was seen at Nganking in a house close to the China Merchant's bulk. The detectives and constables were soon at his side and while in the midst of a game o dominoes he was surprised and taken. The captive has been several times examined by the Nganking officials to whom he made confession with regard to his connection with the Society, On the 25th of the last moon he was sent to Hupeh under an escort of twenty soldiers.

FOOCHOW NOTES.

March 18th. Influenza of a mild character is said to be attacking the natives in the count y.

Some twenty-five rice shops have had to close their doors owing to want of capital and the present unaccommodating frame of mind the banks are in just now. As a rule, rice is sold by the importers on credit, but these terms have been suspended and "cash on delivery" sub-

We hear that men, women fand children are now busily engaged in all the tea districts pruning the tea plants, and that the scene forcibly reminds spectators of the picking of the first crop. The necessity for this has been caused by the frost withering many of the ends of the younger branches. The growers are said to be very sanguine of a superior crop.

The Chancellor of the Literati, whom we reported in our issue; of the 4th ultimo to be suncting from a malignant tumour in the stomach, has so far recovered that he is pronounced to be out of danger. He has been under the treatment, we understand, of two native doctors who studied medicine and surgery under Dr. Whitney at the Ponasang hospital. It will be a great thing for them if they effect a

perfect cure of this case. Two gaol birds have lately made good their escape and the magistrate, who was respinsible for them is in a great state of mind about it, since offering a reward of \$400 for each if they are caught, have failed to bring either of them back, The prisoners were both strangers to the place. one coming from Kiangsi and the other from Chinchin. It is said that if these men cannot be got back to prison, the magistrate will be

degraded. Some twenty Ningpo junks laden with rice, convoyed by war junks, are expected to arrive very shortly. Supplies are also expected from the South. A proposal has been made by a syndicate of wealthy natives for a monopoly of importing rice, which includes an undertaking on their part that the late scarcity shall not occur again, and that the price shall not exceed the figure to which the people are accustomed in ordinary times after it has passed through the dealers' hands. The Viceroy has, we understand, so far favourably received this proposal that he is consulting the principal private importers and large dealers as to how the granting of such a monopoly would work. It is natural to suppose that it will meet with considerable opposition, but the Viceroy is armed with the strong argument that late experience has shown that private enterprize cannot be relied upon to keep the port fully supplied with grain, while the proposal made to him would be a guirantee against the recurrence of scarcity,-Echo.

PAOTING FU.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

13th March, 1803. The topic of the weather seems to be even more essential for outport correspondence than for conversation, but if over there were a time when this apparent necessity were justified, it is the present winter. The entire season has been a succession of unclouded brilliant days, with day this year when tennis has been out of the question or rendered disagreeable by inclement weather. North China has enough unpleasant features, in all conscience, but when it chooses to exert itself in the meteorological line it can produce an article of which the Riviera would not be ashamed.

In spite of warm sunshine, the river has Notwithstanding the severity of the weather opened reluctantly, and in the end had to be his way blocked by ice on the lakes, telegraphed harrow channel thus prepared. The condition of the flooded country has much improved since last autumn. On the upper river, the towns and villages are still surrounded by water with not a foot of cultivable ground outside the little eminence on which, the houses stand. Fartherdown, however, the water has subsided farenough to admit of ploughing and the people. are looking forward to an excellent year, which may or may not be given to them .- N. C. Daily News

NEWS AND GOSSIP.

Among the British nobility 19 per cent are More Americans than ever before, at this season, are in Italy,

Germany proposes to build five battle-ships, each to cost \$1,500,000. Nearly 22,000 Hindoos lost their lives last year from being bitten by anakes. Emperor William toasts the Crar in public, but

in private they say he roasts him. Princess May of Teck still weara black for her lost flance, the Duke of Clarence. Of the 136 members of the London County During 1892, 21,231 horses, 275 donkeys and

51 mules were caten by the Parisians. Christmas numbers of the London periodicals. are said to have had an unusually poor sale. Stanley contradicts the report that he intends to make another expedition into Africa.

There is a constant throng of people at the grave of Tennyson, in Westminster Abbey. . Witte, the new Minis er of Finance in Russia. has begun by imposing a new tax on the people. Two years ago there was only one co-operative; dairy society in Ireland, while now there are:

London society papers are becoming chagrined at the number of Angle-American wed-

There is much concern in court circles as tothe health of the Princess of Wales, which does

Qulits made of perforated sheets of white paper sewn together are said to be becoming popular in Europe. At Berlin the young I mperor has done everything in his power to put a stop to the high play

at the Union Club. The high prices charged at the better class of restaurants in London, form a subject of many

on the slett for him. But no clue was discovered The landau used by Marshal Bagaine during

Several American remedies for cholera are advertised in Hamburg papers, and are "highly demands their release. recommended' by the local druggists.

Over three hundred houses, hotels, stores and residences have been erected in Jerusalem since the completion of the railway to Jaffa. It is proposed to establish an epileptic colony near London where epileptics of both sexes can

be employed and properly cared for. For women, the most fashionable headgear in

The Mont Blanc Observatory is practically completed and will be placed in position as soon as the parts can be carried to the summit. London is keeping up with the times. The city now has 60,000 telephones. This has greatly reduced the number of carrier boys.

A perfect epidemic of typhoid fever seems to have been devastating the various English country houses during the past holiday season. Most of the Berlin newspapers indulge in lamentations because of the approaching resignation of Mr. Phelps, the American Minis-

Canada is negotiating with France for a minimum tariff on certain Canadian products in return for a reduction of the duties on French

Princess May of Teck has collected £200 towards clearing off a debt still remaining on the Victoria Hospital for Invalid Children at Margate.

Jonann Strausa's rew eperetta, Princess Ninetta, had its initial presentation in Vienna some three weeks ago and is spoken of as a very pleasing success.

It is proposed in France to impose a tax of 10 centimes per 1,000f. upon time bargains o the Bourse. This tax is expected to yiel 12,000,000f per annum.

An a sociation for preventing the immigration of destitute aliens is vigorously at work ! England. It numbe a several members of Parlis ment among its members. English fronmasters are astounded at the fac-

that the Germans are sending steel into the centre of England at prices against which the native workers c nnot compete. The Sultan of Turvey has sent a congratulatory

letter to the Pope. This is about the nearest approach which the Cross and the Crescent have ever made towards a conjunction. A Lordon confectioner says that he is some

times called on to furnish widding-cakes weighing 1,000 pounds each, and puddings of a size sufficient for 500 hearty appetites. British soldiers will wear seamless socks in

future, because they insute greater marching efficiency. The old style of seamed socks chafed the skih and made the soldiers footsore. At Avenches, in French-speaking Switzerland. a Swiss society of archieology is laying bare the site of a R man theatre under the supervision of

Th. van Muyden of Lau anne, an architect. The heir to the Austrian throne, when he becomes Emperor, will govern nine countries, bear eighteen titles as duke, one as archduke, two as grand deke and also thirty-three other titles,

The Indian Medical Record shows a terrible record of deaths from cholera. In fourteen years, from 1877 to 1890, it de:larcs that 1,000,826 persons have died in Bengal from cholera alone. Tectotalers in England have been making a

great fuss over the fact that Dr. Wielobycki, President of a temperance society there, recently celebrated the hundredth anniversary of his blrtbday, Political excitement is affecting the season in

Paris. There is said to be less fashionable entertaining than usual, and many of the old aristocratic families have left the city for the various winter reso ts.

The annual visits, for long periods, of the Duchess of Edinburgh to Russis, are explained by the knowledge that under the Czar's administration she would lose a large part of her dowry were she to forego them. Nearly 6,000 men were at work last year on

the ship canal which is to connect the Baltic and North Seas. The expenditure has so far amounted to about \$10,000,000. It is expected to be opened for traffic in 1895.

Mr. Green, a London auctioneer, has been granted a divorce from his American wife, who had previously secured legal severance in Philadelphia from the ties that galled, and re-married a Pennsylvania attorney.

An interesting piece of information brought out during the Brussels Conference is the fact that there a eat present no less than \$100,000,000 of counterfeit silver money in circulation ir France, Belgium, Switzerland, Italy, Spain and Portugal.

The. Germans indignantly deny that their colonization efforts in the Cameroon country have come to naught. They point with pride to the fact that one of their army officers there recently shot a gorilla which measured seventy inches around the chest.

Mr. Plant, a London chimney sweeper, is said to be the last living representative of the English branch of the Plantagenet line. The reason why he calls himself Plant and not Plantagenet, is because he considers that the monosyllabic name is more in accordance with his present social position.

As the result of exmest agitation by the Russian press the remains of nearly 1,000 Russian soldlers, including those of 400 officers, are to be removed from ninety-two cemeteries on Turkish soil to a new burial ground at San Stefano, which the Government has ordered to be constructed for the purpose.

No sooner have French aeronauts improved their balloons almost to the point of perfection for military uses then, slong comes a Russian scientist with an apparatus which captures the says of the sun and employs them to burn the halloons, somewhat on the principle by which Archimedes planned to destroy entire navies. Ship-hullding on the Clyde the last year has been quite unprecedented and 387 vessels of

339.207 tons have been launched-an output of 17,897 tons greater than that of the preceding year. The value of these vessels is about £7,500,000. In their construction 332,307 tons of steel were used, 7,200 tons of Iron and 400 tons of wood. Carmen Sylva's gift to the new Princers of

Roumania, who will one day succeed the popular Queen, was an exquisite book with leaves of mother of pearl, each inscribed and illuminated by the royal artist. The book is bound in gold, | CASES, BUREAU FENDERS and IRONS, the cover studded with p ecious stones. The CARPETS, RUGS, CURTAINS, CLOCKS, bride has journeyed up to Neuwled to see her LAMPS, ORNAMENTS, &c. mother-in-law.

It is said that the Empress Frederick of Germany has succeeded in bringing about a reconcillation between the Emperor William and the Duchess of Sparts. The conversion of the Duchess of Sparts from the Lutheran faith to the Greek Church, anneyed the Emperor greatly, and, although she was his favorite sister, he has held hardly any communication with her since.

The examining magistrate has learned that in 1889 the Bank of Rome, despite the fact that it was one of the smaller of the six banks of issue, distributed 1,020,000 lire (\$200,000) among deputies and other politicians to secure the passage | TURE, &c. of the Bank bill, and that under similar circumstances in 1891 the same institution paid 3,309,000 lire for the support of men of the same

There are fourteen prisoners now in Englishjalls convicted of having made attempts to blow up public buildings in Birmingham, Glasgow and London with dynamite. They are all Irishmen, and it is alleged in their behalf that their motives in entering on the explosive bustsiess were political. Mr. Redmond, member of

Parliament, calls them "political prisoners" and

The monomaniac who, in 1892, stopped Queen Victoria while she was siding on horseback in Hyde Park and proposed marriage to her, has recently died in Bedlam, the celebrated insane asylum of London. He seemed to be perfectly sound on every other subject, was well educated, and wrote very sensible memolis relating to insane asylums and the Paris is the "sugarscorp hat," made of blue felt reforms which might be made in them. He was and trimmed with feathers at the back.

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A. Donneck. Hongkong Observatory, 27th March, 1893.

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GEO. P. LAMMERT, Hongiopag, s7th March, 1893.

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Hongkong, 27th March, 1893.

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TOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned DEBENTURES were, on the 23rd March instant, drawn for redemption in the presence of me, the Undersigned Notary Public, and accordingly that the Principal Monies secured by the said Debentures will become PAYABLE on the 19th April, 1893. The Debentures above referred to :-

No. No. No.

VICTOR H. DEACON, Notary Public, Hongkong. Ronghang, syth March, 1892.

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Hongkong, 27th March, 1893 ST. ANDREW'S CHAPTER.

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POSTPONED THURSDAY, the 6th April. PROGRAMME. 1. - Opening Chorus, Sing Pretty Maiden Sing 1

Romanza and Chorus, Mrs. J. McCallum, Furnished House at Magazine Gap. It was a Knight; Ro- Mrs. MUDIK. manza, 'Tis the Harp and Ladies & Genin the Air; Angelus tlemen Amateurs. Chorus-Maritana, by Wallace

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3.—Aria for Tenor, Come Gentle Sleep, Ivanhoe, Mr. F. J. EAST. by Sullivan

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6.—Duet for Soprano and Mrs. G. S. Coxon ter, by Rossini Mrs. A. G. GORDON. NO ENCORES,

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per share, sales and sellers. China Fire Insurance Company-\$84 per share, sales and sellers. Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.-\$29 per share, buyers.

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MATHILDE, German steamer, 600, P. Moos, 25th

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ARRATOON APCAR. British steamer, 1,392, J. E. Hansen, 26th March,-Calcutta 8th March, -D. Sassoon, Sons & Co.

March, General.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. ESMERALDA, British steamer, 966, G. A. Tayler, 27th March,-Manila 24th March, General. -Shewan & Co.

RAVENNA, British steamer, 1,915, G. W. F. Browne, R.N.R., 27th March,-Yokobama 18th March, Mails and General .- P. & O.

27th March-Salgon 22nd March, Rice.-Melchers & Co. CLEARANCES AT THE HARROUR OFFICE. Tantalus, British steamer, for Singapore.

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Per Ravenna, str., from Yokohama for Hongkong.-Mr. and Mrs. Fetherstonhaugh, Meisrs. Whitney, W. Johns, and Kwong Sang Woh. From Kobe Messis, Ah Chong and Ah Kal. From Nagasaki, -- Mrs. Rawano, Messrs. Ibuji. Hayashi, and Ah Sung. For Penang .- Mr. M.

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she left Bangkok on the 19th instant. Had fine

The British steamship Exmeralda reports that CELTIC CRIEF, British ship, 1,747, C. Owen, she left Manila on the 24th instant. Had light north breeze and fine clear weather to lat 40? north; thence to Hongkong had fresh north-east | COLOMA, American bank, C. M. Noyes, 7th Feb., breeze and overcast weather with smooth sea. --

fr. m Calcults, reports that she left Singapore on PAPA, German bank, 748, T. W. Thoem, 17th the day previous to walling, Parcel Packages will the 20th instant, and to lat. 750 north, experie, enced fine clear weather with light north-cast breezes; thence to port had a fresh northerly R. R. THOMAS, American ship, 1,333. Nichols, breeze with squally and overcast weather: The British steamship Cheysang reports that she left Shanghal on the 24th Instant. Had light variable winds and fine weather to Steep Island ; thence to Ocksen had light variable

The British steamship, Names reports that she left Foochow on the gand instant. Experienced moderate north-cast breeze and overcast. showery weathers to Amoy? Left Amoy on the sard, and Swatow on the a5th. From Amoy to Swatow had fresh north-east breeze and overcast cloudy weather. From Swatow to post had moderate north-cast-breese with overcast and showery weather. In Foochow the steamship Hasskin. In Amoy the steamships Cheang Hock Kian, Siskan, Chintung, Haitan, Cass, Apenrade, and Namyong. In Swatow the steamships Kevengsang, Talsang, Para Nang, Seechow, and Oscarshall.

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For Amoy.—Per Hupek to-morrow, the 28th For Shanghal.—Per Wingho to-morrow, the 28th Instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Amoy and Manila,-Per Sunghlang tomorrow, the 28th instant, at 3.30 P.M.

For Swatow and Bangkok.—Per Kong Beng to-morrow, the 28th instant, at 5 P.M. For Amoy and Manila.-Per Esmeralda, on Wednesday, the 20th instant, at 4.30 P.M. For Europe, &c., India, via Bombay.—Per Carthage on Thursday, the 30th instant at 11

For Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama, and San Francisco.—Per Belgie on Thursday, the 30th instant, at 0.30 P.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.—Per Ravenna on Friday, the 31st instant, at 11.30

For Europe, &c., &c.—Per Sachsen on Monplay, the 3rd April, at 2.30 P.M. . SHIPPING IN HONGKONG

STEAMERS. ALWINE, German steamer, 400, C. Petersen, 18th Feb.,-Pakhol 15th Feb., and Holhow

17th, General-Wieler & Co. BELOIC, British steamer, 4,211, Wm. H. Walker, 22nd March,-San Francisco 23rd Feb. Honolulu and March, and Yokohama 16th, Mails and General.—O. & O. S. S. Co.

BENALDER, British steamer, 1,286, C. K. McIntosh, R.N.R., 22nd March,-Saigon 18th March, Rice and Paddy,-Gibb. Livingston & Co. BENLEDI, British steamer, 1,480, J. H. Clarke, 24th March,-Salgon 20th March, Rice.-

Glbb, Livingston & Co. CANTON, British steamer, 2,044. C. L. W. Field, 24th March,-London, via Bombay 4th Feb., and Singapore 18th March, General.—P. & O. S. N. Co.

CHINA, German steamer, 1,014, P. Voss, 22nd

March, -- Bangkok 15th March, Rice, -- Melchers & Co. FAME, British steamer, 117, Captain McIsaac, Pacific Coast Points, and to Canadian and -Hongkong Government tender. FORIEN, British steamer, 509, Davies, 21st

March,-Tamsui 16th March, Amoy 17th, and Swatow 20th, General,-D. Lapraik HEBE, Norwegian steamer, 1,096, F. M. Clausen, Railroad Tacoma, Wash. 22nd March, -- Salgon 18th March, Rice, --

Ed. Schellhass & Co HIROSHIMA MARU, Japanese steamer, 2,005, H. Walter, 22nd March,-Salgon 18th March, Rice and Paddy.-Geo. R. Stevens. HOLSTRIN, German steamer, 1,103, J. Bruhn,

24th March,-Salgon 20th March, Rice and Paddy .-- Wieler & Co. HUPEH, British steamer, 1,845, T. Quail, 24th March,-Probolingo 12th March, Sugar,-Butterfield & Swire.

IMION, British steamer, 2,299, H. Nish, 24th March,-Singapore 18th March, General .--Butterfield & Swire. Kingsland, Biltish steamer, 1,206, Meck, 18th March, Salgon 13th March, Rice and Paddy.—Slemssen & Co,

KONG BENG, British steamer, 862, J. B. Jackson, 23rd March, -Bangkok 16th March, General -Yuen Fat Hong. LENNOX, British steamer, 1,327, W. Ward, agth March,-Saigon aret March, Rice and

Paddy.-Dodwell, Carlill & Co. MEMNON, British steamer, 826, B. Branch, 23rd March,-Sandakan roth March, Timber, Rattans, and General.—Butterfield & Swire.

NICOSIAN, British steamer, 862, James, 25th March, Halphong 22nd March, Ballast .--NEMOPO, German steamer, 716, Th. Lehma-u,

25th March,-Canton 25th March, General -Slemsson & Co. OORIYA, British steamer, 419, 23rd May, Singapore 16th May I laid up.-Chinese,

PILOT FISH, British steamer, 16r, A. Stopeni. -Hongkong and Whampon Dock Co. PROPORTIS, British steamer, 1,387, W. H. Farrand, 14th, March,-Salgon oth March, Rice and Paddy, -Arnhold, Karberg & Co. STRATHLEVEM, British steamer, 1,588, R. Cor-

mack, 25th March,-Moll 19th March, Coal.—Dodwell, Carlill & Co. SUMORIANO, British steamer, 094, C. B. N. Dedd, 24th March, Manila 21st March;

General,-Butterfield & Swire, TAL-VICK, German steamer, 903, N. Emke, 22nd March,—Bangkok 15th March, Rice,— 8. O.'S. S. Co. TANTALUE, British steamer, 2,199, Henry Jones,

24th March,-Kobe via Moli 20th March, General-Butterfield & Swire. TRIUMPH, German steamer, 674, J. Bruhn, 22nd March,-Pakhoi 19th March, and Hoihow 21st, General.-Ed. Schellhass & Co.

Victoria, British steamer, 1.992, John Panten, R.N.R., 34th March, -Tacoma 31st Feb., Victoria, B.C., 22nd, and Yokohama 15th March, General.—Dodwell, Carilli & Co.

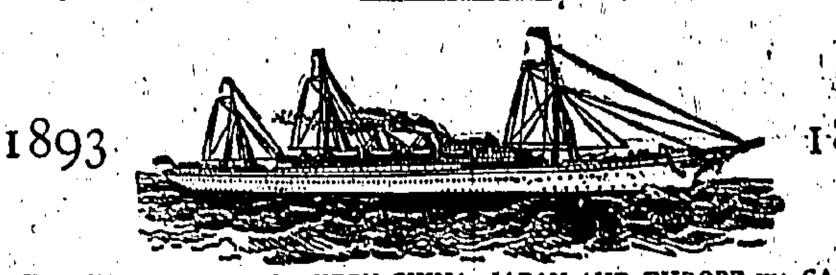
BAILING VERSELS. The German steamship Mathilds reports that BANDANIERA, British 4-missted schooner, 1,775, J. G. Jones, 11th Feb, -New York 14th October, Kerosene Oil.—Captain,

5th March,-New York 4th Oct., Oil.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. -Portland 20th Nov., and Honolulu 20th Dec., Timber and Spars.—Captain,

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March 27, Yungching, Chinese ... steamer, for

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